



# Enter the Year 2006 Calendar Contest

**DEADLINE:** Entries must be postmarked no later than March 18, 2005

*Show Us You Care...  
Draw Your Own  
Conclusions about  
the Environment*

Recycling, composting and keeping litter in its place are among the many ways we keep Kansas clean. You, too, can be part of our "Kansas Don't Spoil It!" effort by putting your artistic talents to good use. A special Year 2006 "Kansas Don't Spoil It!" calendar is being created and will feature the artwork of grade school and high school students from across the state. We're looking for drawings that demonstrate the importance of good environmental practices and things everyone can do to preserve the beauty and natural resources of Kansas. Winning entries will be featured in our annual wall calendar that will be distributed throughout the state.

*If your artwork is chosen to be in the "Kansas: Don't Spoil It" calendar, you will:*

- ✓ Win a \$50 U.S. Savings Bond and "Kansas: Don't Spoil It" merchandise
- ✓ Have your name, photo and artwork distributed statewide
- ✓ Get your picture taken with Gov. Kathleen Sebelius (subject to scheduling)
- ✓ Help educate others about how to preserve the environment

*We'd love to see  
your entry!*

## CONTEST GUIDELINES

The calendar will feature student (grades K-12) artwork from across the state. One piece of student art will be featured for each month of the calendar year. The grand prize winner's work will be featured on the cover.

**THEME:** Create a drawing or painting about how we can keep Kansas clean by recycling, composting, disposing of household hazardous wastes (like old paint, cleaning products, insecticides and motor oil), buying recycled products, cleaning up litter and any other activity that will help keep our state clean.

**ARTWORK:** Submit all artwork on 8 1/2" x 11", unlined white paper. Mail it FLAT, do not fold. Each entry must include your name, grade, school name and school address on the back. Entries become the property of KDHE and may be used for promotional purposes. Use the label to the right, fill out and attach to the BACK of your artwork. Please use tape, NO STAPLES or GLUE. Make additional copies of the label as needed.

**MEDIA:** Markers, watercolors, tempera, oils, crayon, chalk, acrylic, or colored pencils. (No pen & ink, please)

**WHEN:** Entries for the 2006 Kansas Don't Spoil It! calendar will be accepted no sooner than January 10, 2005.

**WINNING ENTRIES** will be awarded by Earth Day, April 22, 2005.

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Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Grade \_\_\_\_\_  
School Name \_\_\_\_\_  
School Address \_\_\_\_\_  
School Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_  
Teacher's Name \_\_\_\_\_

**MAIL ALL ENTRIES TO:**  
"Kansas Don't Spoil It!" Calendar Contest  
KDHE - BWM  
1000 SW Jackson, Suite 320  
Topeka, KS 66612-1366

**SORRY,** entries cannot be returned.



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